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Applicants: PAUL T. JACOBS ET AL.

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE
DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December
16, 1993 for three (3) month(s) from March 16, 1994 to June 16,
1994 inclusive. An Amendment responding to the aforesaid Office
Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/JJM-85/JFS in the
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Respectfully submitted,

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